

Notational Park Service  
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# White Sands National Monument

## **Position: ARCHAEOLOGIST Technician, Seasonal**

This is a summer seasonal position in the Resource Management Division, Cultural Resource Management Program of White Sands National Monument. The purpose of the position is to participate as an archaeological crew member in documentation and treatment services, condition assessments, monitoring, and site recording at various locations within the park. The incumbent reports directly to the Park Archaeologist. Tasks and duties include: prehistoric/historic architectural documentation and preservation treatments, condition assessments, monitoring, survey and site recording at various locations within the park, project data management and technical report preparation. The archaeologist will also manage project data, conduct data entry in appropriate computerized databases (ASMIS databases, GIS). The preparation and cataloguing of project materials for curation, as well as organizing and managing the curation facilities is also a primary task for this position. To accomplish this task, the archaeologist will be familiar with collections management databases, and have experience with collections, including cataloguing and preparation of project materials, photographs, and maps.

### DESIRED Previous Experience:

A variety of skills are necessary to complete these tasks, such as: preparing accurate, detailed site documentation including plan and elevation drawings of prehistoric and historic sites and structures, identifying prehistoric and historic cultural materials, assessing threats and disturbances to sites, assessment needs for and executing stabilization treatments, accurately recording sites, conducting photographic documentation, collecting specific locational data with GPS, completing differential corrections, and converting the locational data to GIS coverages.

### PHYSICAL DEMANDS:

Assignments will require a combination of strenuous field work and sedentary office work. Field work may necessitate strenuous exertion including hiking, backpacking, climbing steep slopes, stooping, bending and exposure to sun, wind and rain.

Salary: \$2,750 Student Stipend

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